

NOT FOR PUBLICATION

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY**

HENRY CARTER,

Plaintiff,

V.

N.J. PAROLE BOARD – TRENTON N.J.,
et al.,

Defendants.

Civ. No. 23-1393 (GC) (TJB)

MEMORANDUM & ORDER

CASTNER, District Judge

Plaintiff is proceeding *pro se* with a civil complaint. (See ECF 1). Previously, on March 15, 2023, this Court granted Plaintiff's application to proceed *in forma pauperis*. (See ECF 3). In that Order, this Court noted that Plaintiff failed to sign his complaint. (See *id.*). This Court gave Plaintiff thirty (30) days in which to correct this deficiency or else risk potential administrative termination of this action. (See *id.*). To date, Plaintiff has not corrected this signature deficiency. Thus, this Court will strike the Complaint and administratively terminate this action given that Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 11 states that a complaint shall be struck if not signed. Plaintiff shall be given one final thirty (30) day period in which to seek to reopen this action by filing a *signed* complaint.

Accordingly, IT IS on this 1st day of May, 2023,

ORDERED that Plaintiff's Complaint (ECF 1) is struck pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 11 as it lacks a signature; and it is further

ORDERED that the Clerk shall ADMINISTRATIVELY TERMINATE this action; and it is further

ORDERED that Plaintiff may seek to have this matter reopened within thirty (30) days of the date of this Memorandum and Order if he submits a *signed* complaint; and it is further

ORDERED that the Clerk shall serve this Memorandum and Order on Plaintiff by regular U.S. mail.



GEORGETTE CASTNER
United States District Judge